



# University of Kashmir, Srinagar

## **Minutes of the meeting of Board of Research Studies (BORS) in Physical & Mathematical Sciences held on 30-08-2017 at 11:00 a.m. in the Committee Room of the Administration Block.**

### Present

1. Prof. K. I. Andrabi (In the Chair)  
Vice-Chancellor
2. Prof. Zafar A. Reshi  
Dean, Research
3. Prof. Musadiq Amin Sahaf  
Dean Academic Affairs
4. Prof. G. M. Rather  
Dean, School of Physical & Mathematical Sciences/  
Head, Deptt. of Chemistry
5. Head, Department of Statistics;
6. Head, Department of Mathematics;
7. Head, Department of Physics

*The Assistant Registrar, (Research) was also present.*

At the outset, Dean Research welcomed the members and requested Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor for his valuable introductory remarks. Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor desired that the quality of research should improve and efforts should be made to pursue such research themes that have direct relevance to society. After due deliberations it was felt that following be complied with:

1. The statutes governing Integrated Ph.D programme be followed in letter and spirit, particularly in respect of constitution of Research progress Assessment Committee (RPAC) for assessment of work progress.
2. It should be ensured that the scholars maintain raw data which should be available on demand.
3. The supervisor should inform scholars about *Plagiarism Prevention Policy* adopted by the University Council at its meeting held on 22-04-2017 and ensure that the research papers/theses/dissertations/reports are not plagiarized.
4. It was strongly felt that only those co-supervisors from outside the university should be encouraged who bring certain expertise/experience that is not available in the University.
5. It was also resolved to initiate measures for adoption of University Grants Commission (Minimum Standards and Procedure for Award of M.Phil./Ph.D Degrees) Regulations, 2016.
6. It was resolved that supervisors shall maintain attendance of their research scholars during residency period. Attendance certificates issued by the concerned supervisors should however be countersigned by the Head of the Deptt./Director/Co-ordinator.

Subsequently agenda was taken up for discussion.

**Item**

**No.1** Perusal of the action taken report of the last meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Physical and Material Sciences held on 28-10-2014, pertaining to the matters relating to the Deptts. falling under School of Physical & Mathematical Sciences.

**Resolved that the** action taken report on the minutes of the last meeting of BORS in Physical and Material Sciences held on 28-10-2014 pertaining to the matters relating to the Deptts. falling under School of Physical & Mathematical Sciences **be perused.**

**Item**

**No. 2** Confirmation of minutes of the last meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Physical and Material Sciences held on 28-10-2014, pertaining to the matters relating to the Deptts. falling under School of Physical & Mathematical Sciences (already circulated).

**Resolved that the** minutes of the last meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Physical and Material Sciences held on 28-10-2014, pertaining to the matters relating to the Deptts. falling under School of Physical & Mathematical Sciences **be confirmed.**

**Item**

**No. 3** Consideration of the request made by six (06) College Teachers, one Sr. Scientist from IHBT Palampur and one Associate Professor from SKUAST-K for grant of recognition as co-guides to supervise M.Phil/Ph.D scholars in the disciplines of Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics.

**Resolved** that following teachers be recognized as co-supervisors in the disciplines shown against each below:

<i>S. No</i>	<i>Name of Teacher</i>	<i>Name of the Discipline</i>
01	Dr. Khurshed Ahmad Shah, Assistant Professor, Physics, GDC Anantnag	Physics
02	Dr. Ab. Wahid Bhat, Assistant Professor, Physics, Islamia College, Sgr.	Physics
03	Dr. Arafat Firdous, Assistant Professor, Physics, Islamia College, Sgr.	Physics
04	Dr. Mohd Shafi Khan, Associate Professor, Physics, Govt. Degree College Bemina	Physics
05	Dr. Abid H.Banday, Assistant Professor, Chemistry, Islamia College Sgr.	Chemistry
06	Dr. Nadeem Bashir, Assistant Professor, Chemistry, GDC Nawakadal	Chemistry
07	Dr. Vijay Kant Agnihotri, Sr. Scientist, Chemistry, IHBT Palampur	Chemistry
08	Dr. M.S. Pukhta, Associate Professor, Mathematics, (SKUAST-K)	Mathematics

**Item**

**No. 4** Consideration of the request made by two (2) Associate Professors, two (2) Assistant Professors, Department of Physics and one (1) Assistant Professor Department of Chemistry recommended by the Departmental Research Committees of the concerned Departments for grant of recognition as Guides to supervise M.Phil/Ph.D scholars in the disciplines of Physics and Chemistry.

**Resolved that following** teachers of the Department of Physics be recognized as supervisors for guiding M.Phil/Ph. D/I-Ph.D scholars in the discipline of Physics:

01. Dr. Shakeel Ahmad Simnani, Associate Professor
02. Dr. Sajad Masood, Associate Professor
03. Dr. Gh. Nabi Dar, Assistant Professor,
04. Dr. Nisar Ahmad , Assistant Professor

**Resolved further that** Dr. Aijaz Ahmad Dar, Assistant Professor, Deptt. of Chemistry be recognized as co-supervisor in the discipline of Chemistry. After his confirmation on the post of Assistant Professor, he will be deemed to have been recognized as supervisor.

**Item**

**No.05 Ratification of the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in having authorized Dr. M. A. Rizvi, Assistant Professor Department of Chemistry to act as Supervisor to guide, M.Phil/Ph.D Research Scholars in Department of Chemistry.**

**Resolved that** the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in having authorized Dr. M. A. Rizvi Assistant Professor Department of Chemistry to act as Supervisor to guide M.Phil/Ph.D Research Scholars in Department of Chemistry, **be ratified.**

**Item**

**No.06 Consideration of the grant of registration in favour of the candidates listed in Annexure A to D for pursuit of Ph.D/I-Ph.D programme on whole-time/part-time basis as detailed in the respective annexures to the main agenda against each candidate, in the following disciplines of the School of Physical & Mathematical Sciences:**

- A. Chemistry                      B. Statistics                      C Mathematics**
- D. Physics**

**Resolved that** the candidates enlisted in annexures A to D of the Departments falling in the School of Physical & Mathematical Sciences be registered for pursuit of Ph.D/I-Ph. D programmes on whole-time/part-time basis on the conditions (if any) indicated against each in the remarks column of the respective annexure.

**T. Item**

**No.01 Consideration of the request of Dr. Mohammad Ibrahim Mir, Assistant Professor, South Campus Anantnag for grant of recognition as guide to supervise Ph.D/I-Ph.D scholars in the discipline of Mathematics.**

**Resolved that** Dr. Mohammad Ibrahim Mir, Assistant Professor, South Campus be recognized as guide to supervise Ph.D/I-Ph.D scholars in the discipline of Mathematics.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks by the Dean Research to the members.

Approved.

Sd/-  
Vice-Chancellor

Sd/-  
Dean Research



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**OFFICE OF THE DEAN RESEARCH**

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Assistant Registrar  
(Research)

